

CAPTURED.

One of the Virginia Train Robbers Caught.

Upon Being Searched \$1,553 Was Found Hidden in Two Stockings.

There Were Forty-three Cartridges in His Pocket and a Memorandum Book Showing Where the Entire Boodle Was Divided.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—A special to a morning paper from Cumberland, Md., says: Wednesday morning about 1:10 o'clock Officer Beck, of this city, noticed a man acting in a suspicious manner near the B. & O. depot.

He tried to board express train No. 9, westbound, with two satchels. The man answered the description of one who was implicated in the robbery of the express car at Quantico, Va., last week.

As soon as the officer attempted to arrest him the man started to run, but was soon caught by the officer.

He claimed to have been stopping at one of the hotels in this city, and upon being taken to each of the hotels in turn claimed that it was a different one. He was taken to the station-house, and upon being searched \$1,553 was found hidden in two woolen stockings.

Nine hundred and twenty-three dollars was in notes, and \$630 in silver, a silver watch and one gold one, a lot of pawn tickets, and three silver pocket-books. A fine Colt's navy revolver was on his person.

There were forty-three cartridges in his pocket, and a memorandum book showing where the entire boodle had been divided among the men. In his satchel were found old muddy shoes, a slouch hat, and wearing apparel that looked like disguises. He claimed he was an ex-detective in Missouri, and afterward denied it.

He tried to hide another revolver and some money, but was caught in the act.

He refused to give his name, and after being examined, was committed to jail, to await trial on the 25th of this month.

Officer Beck, who made the arrest, says the man fought like a lion and attempted to draw a revolver.

It is rumored in police circles that several men have been arrested at Cherry Run, W. Va., all of whom have large amounts of money upon their persons, but as yet no further particulars can be learned. A number of police will go to the scene at once, when the men will be brought to this city.

The officer who made the arrest in this city said that if he had not caught hold of the man as he was about to board the train he would certainly have been killed, as he was intoxicated, and refused to say why he attempted to board the train at that point instead of going to the depot.

A Family Destroyed.

HAMBURG, Oct. 18.—A sensation has been caused here by the mysterious disappearance of Herr Rothgardt, a leather merchant of the Hansa Platz, his wife and four children and his brother-in-law, named Kruse. The body of the youngest child has been washed ashore at the island of Finkenwaerder in the Elbe and it is believed that the disappearance of the whole family may turn out to be a case of wholesale murder and suicide.

It May Be Michael.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—A dispatch to the Daily News from Berlin says that a Copenhagen paper publishes under reserve a statement that the czar intends to change the succession and appoint his third son, Grand Duke Michael, heir to the throne, owing to the czarowitch's political views and the fact that the illness of his second son, Grand Duke George, precludes his succession.

Charles Hardin Acquitted.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Oct. 18.—The jury in the case of Charles Hardin, Charlton Elrod, Charles Taylor and James Morris, charged with the embezzlement of \$35,000 from the Adams Express Co., Wednesday returned a verdict of "not guilty." The case has been on trial two weeks. Hardin was indicted as principal and the others as accessories before the act.

A Conductor's Fall.

ELKHORN, W. Va., Oct. 18.—Thomas Evans, a freight conductor on the N. & W., went chestnut hunting. While in a small tree growing from the side of a larger one his hold broke and he fell a distance of twenty-feet. He was so firmly wedged in between the trees that four men were required to release him. He lies at the Innis hotel in a critical condition. His injuries are internal.

China Won't Assent.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—Sir Halliday Macartney, secretary of the Chinese legation, declared in an interview Wednesday that whatever negotiations may have been entered into between England and Japan, with a view to terminating the war, China has not assented to any proposals for peace.

Footballist Killed.

LEXINGTON, Va., Oct. 18.—Theby Nunn, the 200-pound center rush of the Lexington giants (colored) football team, died Wednesday morning from internal injuries, received in a practice game Monday evening. He was a young herculean and captain of his team.

Christina Hates Freemasonry.

MADRID, Oct. 18.—Queen Regent Christina has instructed the government to prosecute the proprietors and managers of several Catholic papers which asserted that she had caused the king to be enrolled as a Free Mason.

International Socialism.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 18.—The socialist members of the chamber of deputies have decided to open negotiations with the labor deputies throughout Europe with a view of adopting an identical policy in every parliament.

PENSION FRAUDS

Unearthed in Large Numbers at Scranton, Pa.—As Usual, the Widows Made Victims.

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 18.—Special Examiner Shuker, of the pension department, who is here looking into the illegal pension operations conducted by Alvina Tillinghast, who ran a pension claim office in Hyde Park, reports the unearthing of twenty-five fraudulent cases.

Tillinghast is found to have operated extensively in getting through claims that had repeatedly failed. His work was revealed by the complaint of Deborah Boughton, a widow of South Scranton, who charged Tillinghast with withholding a large portion of back pension granted to her, and which he paid over in small items.

Affidavits on pension claims were made before Alderman Morgan, two West Side business men being used as witnesses.

They declare they signed no such petition, and that their names were forged. Tillinghast fled to Binghamton when Examiner Shuker began his investigations. Later he was heard from at Buffalo, and is now believed to be in Canada. His operations are believed to have netted him a large sum.

PEKIN DOOMED.

Mikado's Forces in Sight of Port Arthur—Foreigners All Ordered Out of Pekin.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The Herald's special cable dispatch from Shanghai says 15,000 Japanese troops, under Field Marshal Oyama, are encamped across Regent's Sword promontory, to the north of Port Arthur, and within sight of the naval stronghold.

They are waiting for a favorable movement to move forward, while outside the port the Japanese cruisers are ready to intercept all retreat seaward. Sung Kwei, the emperor's father-in-law, has reached Shanghai Kwan, the place on the Gulf of Lia-Tung where the high road from the coast to Pekin begins.

He takes the chief command, and will try to prevent the landing of a force of the enemy at this point, which possesses great strategic importance.

A serious split has occurred at Pekin between Mr. O'Connor, the British minister, and Count Cassini, the Russian minister.

All the foreigners still remaining in the capital have received peremptory orders to leave.

A FAILURE.

Wholesale Jail Delivery Thwarted at Winchester, Ind.

WINCHESTER, Ind., Oct. 18.—A daring attempt at jail delivery was prevented by the watchfulness of Sheriff Fletcher and wife at Winchester. The jail contains some desperate criminals. They had planned to cut their way through the stone floor into the cellar, from which they could easily escape.

While they worked they kept up an incessant noise by singing to drown the sound of chiseling. The singing aroused the suspicion of Mrs. Fletcher. The sheriff investigated and discovered quite a large hole in the stone floor, through which they intended making their escape.

Decision on Accrued Pensions.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—Assistant Secretary Reynolds, of the interior department, has decided that section 4718 of the Revised Statutes, relative to the payment of accrued pensions, is applicable to pensioners under act of July 27, 1892, granting pensions to the survivors of certain Indian wars. It is also held that the section authorizes the widow of the deceased soldier to prosecute his pending claim under that act and receive the accrued pension to the date of the soldier's death. This act reverses the decision of the commissioner of pensions, made in May, 1893.

Cincinnati Suicides in Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 18.—Eugene Schaubacker, thirty-one years of age, a wholesale grocer and liquor merchant of Cincinnati, committed suicide at Mount Carmel cemetery Wednesday on the grave of his first wife, by shooting himself through the heart. Upon the body was found a letter to his second wife in Cincinnati, begging for forgiveness.

Bridge Collapses Again.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 18.—The ill-fated new Louisville and Jeffersonville bridge was the scene of another accident Wednesday. Three men were hurt, one perhaps fatally. The accident was caused by the falling of a part of the false work under the fourth span, which had just been completed and locked.

Embezzler Sent to the Pen.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 18.—John A. Bortoff, who embezzled \$1,200 from the United States Express Co. here, and fled to Europe, and gave himself up in New York on his return, pleaded guilty to larceny Wednesday. He was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

Double Suicide.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Harris Olney and Charles Dalton were found dead Wednesday in a room at the Metropolitan hotel, Brooklyn. They had retired leaving the gas turned on full heat. Olney, who was 28 years of age, and resided in Brooklyn, was at one time a jockey, and Dalton was connected with race tracks.

The Pope's Encyclical.

ROME, Oct. 18.—The encyclical letter to the church in America will be issued very shortly, the pope being now engaged in revising and correcting the document. The letter will contain an important passage in regard to the church in South America.

Debs Travels on a Pass.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 18.—Eugene V. Debs, president of the American Railway union, passed through here Wednesday en route from Terre Haute to New York. Mr. Debs was traveling on a Big Four pass.

Alexander Grows Worse.

BERLIN, Oct. 18.—The Lokal Anzeiger is directly informed by one of Prof. Leyden's assistants that the czar's condition has grown much worse.

SHIP CANAL.

Important Meetings of Two Influential Cincinnati Boards.

A Canal With Only Seven Feet Depth, it is Claimed, Will Be Useless.

The Dimensions of the Locks Are Fixed by Congress, and the Board of Engineers Has No Option in the Matter, Says Gen. Poe.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 18.—The board of trade and transportation met in regular session Wednesday afternoon at 2 p. m. The subject of importance before the members was the ship canal.

On several occasions the board has drawn attention to the inadequacy of the dimensions of the locks, as fixed by legislation. A canal with only seven feet depth, it is claimed, will be useless; to be practicable, fourteen feet is necessary. To learn what remedy, if any, could be made, the secretary of the board wrote to Gen. Poe, of Detroit; Capt. Marshall, of Chicago, and Col. Stickney, of Cincinnati, the committee of army officials having the matter in charge.

A letter from Gen. Poe Wednesday gives no encouragement, he stating that the dimensions of the locks are fixed by congress and the board of engineers has no option in the matter.

Capt. Bachtel, engineer of the state board of public works, who has the survey in charge for the engineer board, has also given his opinion adversely as to any deviation from the prescribed dimensions.

It seems that Pittsburgh is also making a strong effort for the canal from Erie, Pa., on the lake, to the Ohio at Pittsburgh. Surveys have already been made, and the citizens of Pittsburgh have already raised \$100,000, it is said, to defray expenses. If the canal is located in that section of Ohio the old canal bed will be utilized, but, if Pittsburgh is successful, that Cincinnati will not be seems to be a foregone conclusion.

If the canal is located in the western part of the state it is proposed to utilize the Maumee and Miami rivers and any other water course possible.

The gist of the matter is that if Cincinnati wants a ship canal she must take active measures, raise funds and fight for the prize. This was the conclusion to which the directors came Wednesday. They therefore appointed a committee of three—A. M. Dolph, Col. Latham Anderson and Edwin Henshaw—to draft resolutions calling for concerted action of all local commercial bodies and the raising of funds, \$50,000, at least, to accomplish the desired end, the committee to report at a special meeting of the board on Monday at 2 p. m.

The board thinks it will be useless to wait for an amendment to be secured through congress next winter, as the surveys and estimates will have been completed this fall. The feeling seems to be to first secure the location of the canal and then take action to have the dimensions changed before work is begun.

Stole a Package of Furs.

TOLEDO, O., Oct. 18.—At Latty, Paulding county, Wednesday morning, as the express messenger on the east-bound Nickel Plate train was throwing off packages a strange man picked up a package of fur garments and started to run. The messenger fired, hitting the robber in the side. He dropped the package and escaped after a half mile chase, being picked up by a buggy with two men evidently waiting for him. His entire route could be traced by the blood he lost.

The Ameer Is Dead.

CALCUTTA, Oct. 18.—A Lahur paper publishes a detailed account from native sources of the death of the ameer of Afghanistan. In the description of the death scene it is stated that the ameer earnestly exhorted his eldest son, Sadard Habibulla Khan, to remain a friend of the British.

Nothing in It.

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—Emphatic denial was made at division army headquarters Wednesday of the story that the war department construed a portion of Gen. Miles' annual report as a reflection upon President Cleveland and the latter's action in connection with the railroad strikes.

To Receive the Czar.

ATHENS, Oct. 18.—The entire Greek court will receive the czar upon his arrival here en route to Corfu. The czar will not leave the Crimea until Count Bendendorff, his majesty's grand marshal, shall have completed his preparations at Corfu.

Fireman Killed.

MUSKOGEE, Mich., Oct. 18.—During a fire in the yards of the Thayer Lumber Co. Wednesday morning, John Eliens, assistant chief of the fire department, was buried under a pile of burning lumber and died shortly after being rescued.

Indians Killed While Hazing.

OKLAHOMA, O. T., Oct. 18.—At El Reno, while some twenty-five Indians were riding a broncho race, their animals collided, throwing nearly the whole party into a heap, killing two and fatally injuring several others.

Bigamist Crane Gets Three Years.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Oct. 18.—George S. Crane, who was arrested here last week on the charge of bigamy, was given a three-year sentence Wednesday. He appealed to the supreme court.

Hit by an Engine.

LIMA, O., Oct. 18.—Wednesday morning John Kelly, 60, formerly of Hamilton, O., was hit by a switch engine while walking through the C. H. & D. yards. He was in search of work and was probably fatally hurt.

Pioneer Killed.

ADA, O., Oct. 18.—Thomas White, 57, a pioneer of Carroll, was struck and instantly killed by a stock train on the Pennsylvania road here Wednesday morning.

CONDENSED NEWS

Gathered From All Parts of the Country by Telegraph.

M. A. DeRose, of Louisville, claims to be heir to the estate of Brewer Finlay, of Toledo, O.

Gov. Altgeld commuted the death sentence of Kurtz, the wife killer, to life imprisonment.

Simon Luke, of Baltimore, claims to have invented a submarine boat which equals anything Jules Verne imagined.

An attempt was made to assassinate Rev. M. Harhan at Lexington, Oklahoma, by desperadoes whom he scored in a sermon.

Irregularities in the Bank of Brazil involving \$30,000,000 are reported to have been discovered. They occurred during the recent revolution.

That which promises to be one of the largest caves in the United States has been discovered east of Muncie, Ind., and is now the subject of much talk and speculation.

The approaching annual meeting of the state board of commerce, to be held in Columbus, November 14, is expected to be the largest gathering of business men that ever assembled in Ohio.

Heavy snow-storms have prevailed in Posen, Bromberg, Mayence and other districts in Poland and Germany, and great damage to wharfrage and shipping has resulted in Lubelland Copenhagen from a northerly gale and consequent high tides.

Ex-confederate soldiers of Caldwell, Lyon, Crittenden and Livingston counties met at Princeton, Ky., and formed and organization and christened it the James Pierce bivouac. Gen. H. B. Lynn was elected president and Maj. T. G. Johnson, vice president.

The French special commission to Madagascar stipulates that France shall exercise an exclusive protectorate over that country, and there shall be a permanent French garrison stationed at Antananarive. Eight days are allowed to Madagascar to make a reply.

Gov. McKinley reached Cincinnati from Hamilton at 11:45 Wednesday night, on his way to Columbus. He left for the state capital at 3:30 o'clock Thursday morning to give personal attention to the Washington C. H. riots. Politics for the time being will be laid aside.

Dink Boulware, a timber man, while cutting in the woods near Richmond, Ky., was caught by a falling tree and almost crushed to death. His hips were broken and his body terribly mangled. He lay for eight hours pinned to the earth before he was found. He may die.

The police of Nuremberg have succeeded in breaking up an organization known as the Socialist Women's union, the ramifications of which were shown by seditious documents and seized literature to be very great. The dissolution of the union was accomplished by domiciliary visits.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 17.

WHEAT—Sales of fancy at \$2.40; family at \$2.10; spring family at \$2.25.

WHEAT—Sales of No. 2 red, track, at 49c; No. 2 red, track, at 50c.

CORN—Sales of No. 2 mixed, track, at 32c; No. 2 yellow, track, at 33c; yellow, track, at 34c; new, No. 3 white at 35c.

OATS—Sales of No. 2 mixed (light color) track, at 31c; No. 2 mixed, track, at 30c.

CATTLE—Heavy steers, fair to good, \$4.00 to \$4.50; select butcher, \$4.00 to \$4.30; fair to good, \$3.50 to \$3.80; common to ordinary, \$2.00 to \$2.50.

HOGS—Good to choice, \$3.50 to \$4.00; fair to medium, \$3.00 to \$3.50.

CALVES—Common and large, \$2.00 to \$2.50; fair to good light, \$1.50 to \$2.00.

WOOL—Unwashed: Fine merino, per lb. 22c; quarter blood clothing, 12c to 13c; medium delaine and clothing, 10c; coarse, 12c to 14c; medium, combed, 13c to 14c. Washed: Fine merino, X to XX, per lb. 10c to 12c; medium clothing, 15c to 16c; delaine fleece, 12c to 13c; long combed, 15c to 16c; quarter blood and low, 13c to 14c; common coarse, 10c to 12c; tub-washed, choice, 16c to 18c; tub-washed, average, 15c.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 17.

WHEAT—No. 2 red spot, \$2.40 to \$2.50; October, \$2.40 to \$2.50; December, \$2.40 to \$2.50; May, \$2.40 to \$2.50; steamer No. 2 red, \$2.50 to \$2.60.

CORN—Mixed spot and October, 54c bid; ear, 49c to 50c asked.

OATS—No. 2 white western, 34c to 35c; No. 2 mixed do., 32c to 33c.

RYE—No. 2, 54c.

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.

RYE—Western, 48c to 50c; No. 2 Milwaukee, 48c to 50c.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, store and elevator, 54c to 55c; float, 55c; February, 55c to 56c; ungraded red, 50c to 51c; No. 1 Northern, 64c to 65c.

CORN—Market dull but firmer; No. 2, 54c to 55c; elevator, 54c to 55c; No. 3, 53c to 54c.

OATS—No. 2, 31c to 32c; No. 2 white, 32c to 33c; No. 2 Chicago, 29c; No. 3, 30c; No. 3 white, 34c; mixed western, 3c to 3c; white do. and white state, 3c to 3c.

TOLEDO, O., Oct. 17.

WHEAT—No. 2 red cash, 51c; December, 52c; May, 57c; No. 2 red cash, 50c.

CORN—No trading.

OATS—White cash, 30c.

CLOVERSEED—Cash, \$5.15 to \$5.17; November, \$5.20; December, \$5.24; February, \$5.30.

PRESBURGH, Oct. 17.

CATTLE—Prime, \$5.75 to \$5.80; good, \$4.50 to \$5.00; good butchers, \$3.75 to \$4.00; rough fat, \$2.50 to \$3.00; fair light steers, \$3.10 to \$3.30; good fat cows and heifers, \$2.30 to \$3.00.

HOGS—Philadelphia, 5.35 to 5.40; best Yorkers, and mixed, \$5.25 to \$5.35; common to fair Yorkers, \$5.10 to \$5.20; pigs, \$4.75 to \$5.00; good sows, \$3.25 to \$4.00.

SHEEP—Extra, \$3.00 to \$3.50; good, 2.30 to 2.40; fair, \$1.70 to \$2.00; common, \$1.00 to \$1.50; yearlings, \$2.00 to \$3.00; lambs, \$2.00 to \$3.00.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 17.

CATTLE—Good shipping to choice and heavy steers, \$4.00 to \$5.00.

HOGS—Good Yorkers, \$5.15 to \$5.20; fair, \$5.10 to \$5.15; good medium, \$5.00 to \$5.10; mostly \$5.00 to \$5.25; pigs \$5.15 to \$5.25; roughs \$4.25 to \$4.50; good heavy sows, \$4.00 to \$4.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Good native lambs, \$3.75 to \$4.00; fair to good, \$3.00 to \$3.50; good mixed sheep, \$2.25 to \$2.50; exports dull and weaker.

CHICAGO, Oct. 17.

CASH QUOTATIONS—Flour, unchanged; No. 3 spring wheat \$4.45 to \$4.50; No. 3 spring wheat nominal; No. 2 red \$4.45 to \$4.50; No. 2 corn \$2.40 to \$2.45; No. 2 yellow \$2.40 to \$2.45; No. 2 oats 27c; No. 2 white \$1.30 to \$1.35; No. 3 white \$1.30 to \$1.35; No. 2 rye 65c; No. 2 barley 53c; No. 3, \$1.05 to \$1.10; No. 4, 82c.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 17.

CATTLE—Good shipping, \$4.50 to \$5.00; medium \$4.00 to \$4.50; common, \$3.50 to \$4.00.

HOGS—Good to choice medium and heavy, \$5.00 to \$5.15; mixed, \$4.75 to \$5.00; good lights, \$4.50 to \$5.00.

SHEEP—Choice to extra lambs, \$3.00 to \$3.50; common lambs, \$2.00 to \$2.75; good sheep, \$2.50 to \$3.00.

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